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This Operating Permit is issued to, and applies to the following:

Name of Permittee:

Duke Energy Field Services LP
PO Box 5493
Denver, CO 80217

Permitted Location:

Yellow Creek Gas Plant
4940 E Chalk Creek Rd
Coalville, UT 84017

UTM coordinates: 4,532,500 meters Northing, 487,000 meters Easting
SIC code: 1321

ABSTRACT

The Yellow Creek Gas Plant, is a natural gas liquids recovery plant that is located 23 miles east of Coalville, Utah near the Wyoming border. At the site are four natural gas compressor engines and two natural gas oil heaters. The Yellow Creek Gas Plant is in an attainment area for all pollutants. NSPS Subparts A and KKK apply to the source. The plant is also a major source of NO_x and CO emissions.

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Operating Permit History

7/17/1997 - Permit issued	Action initiated by an initial operating permit application	
9/22/1998 -Permit modified	Action initiated by a reopening of an operating permit for cause	to correct inventory language and to remove "Compliance is assumed" language as per EPAs suggestion.
11/21/2003 - Permit issued	Action initiated by a renewal of an operating permit	to include requirements of 40 CFR Part 60, Subpart KKK into Title V permit.

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Issued under authority of Utah Code Ann. Section 19-2-104 and 19-2-109.1, and in accordance with Utah Administrative Code R307-415 Operating Permit Requirements.

All definitions, terms and abbreviations used in this permit conform to those used in Utah Administrative Code R307-101 and R307-415 (Rules), and 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), except as otherwise defined in this permit. Unless noted otherwise, references cited in the permit conditions refer to the Rules.

Where a permit condition in Section I, General Provisions, partially recites or summarizes an applicable rule, the full text of the applicable portion of the rule shall govern interpretations of the requirements of the rule. In the case of a conflict between the Rules and the permit terms and conditions of Section II, Special Provisions, the permit terms and conditions of Section II shall govern except as noted in Provision I.M, Permit Shield.

Section I: General Provisions

I.A. Federal Enforcement.

All terms and conditions in this permit, including those provisions designed to limit the potential to emit, are enforceable by the EPA and citizens under the Clean Air Act of 1990 (CAA) except those terms and conditions that are specifically designated as "State Requirements". (R307-415-6b)

I.B. Permitted Activity(ies).

Except as provided in R307-415-7b(1), the permittee may not operate except in compliance with this permit. (See also Provision I.E, Application Shield)

I.C. Duty to Comply.

I.C.1 The permittee must comply with all conditions of the operating permit. Any permit noncompliance constitutes a violation of the Air Conservation Act and is grounds for any of the following: enforcement action; permit termination; revocation and reissuance; modification; or denial of a permit renewal application. (R307-415-6a(6)(a))

I.C.2 It shall not be a defense for a permittee in an enforcement action that it would have been necessary to halt or reduce the permitted activity in order to maintain compliance with the conditions of this permit. (R307-415-6a(6)(b))

I.C.3 The permittee shall furnish to the Executive Secretary, within a reasonable time, any information that the Executive Secretary may request in writing to determine whether cause exists for modifying, revoking and reissuing, or terminating this permit or to determine compliance with this permit. Upon request, the permittee shall also furnish to the Executive Secretary copies of records required to be kept by this permit or, for information claimed to be confidential, the permittee may furnish such records directly to the EPA along with a claim of confidentiality. (R307-415-6a(6)(e))

I.C.4 This permit may be modified, revoked, reopened, and reissued, or terminated for cause. The filing of a request by the permittee for a permit modification, revocation and reissuance, or termination, or of a notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance shall not stay any permit condition, except as provided under R307-415-7f(1) for minor permit modifications. (R307-415-6a(6)(c))

I.D. Permit Expiration and Renewal.

I.D.1 This permit is issued for a fixed term of five years and expires on November 21, 2008.
(R307-415-6a(2))

I.D.2 Application for renewal of this permit is due by May 21, 2008. An application may be submitted early for any reason. (R307-415-5a(1)(c))

I.D.3 An application for renewal submitted after the due date listed in I.D.2 above shall be accepted for processing, but shall not be considered a timely application and shall not relieve the permittee of any enforcement actions resulting from submitting a late application. (R307-415-5a(5))

I.D.4 Permit expiration terminates the permittee's right to operate unless a timely and complete renewal application is submitted consistent with R307-415-7b (see also Provision I.E, Application Shield) and R307-415-5a(1)(c) (see also Provision I.D.2). (R307-415-7c(2))

I.E. Application Shield.

If the permittee submits a timely and complete application for renewal, the permittee's failure to have an operating permit will not be a violation of R307-415, until the Executive Secretary takes final action on the permit renewal application. In such case, the terms and conditions of this permit shall remain in force until permit renewal or denial. This protection shall cease to apply if, subsequent to the completeness determination required pursuant to R307-415-7a(3), and as required by R307-415-5a(2), the applicant fails to submit by the deadline specified in writing by the Executive Secretary any additional information identified as being needed to process the application. (R307-415-7b(2))

I.F. Severability.

In the event of a challenge to any portion of this permit, or if any portion of this permit is held invalid, the remaining permit conditions remain valid and in force. (R307-415-6a(5))

I.G. Permit Fee.

I.G.1 The permittee shall pay an annual emission fee to the Executive Secretary consistent with R307-415-9. (R307-415-6a(7))

I.G.2 The emission fee shall be due on October 1 of each calendar year or 45 days after the source receives notice of the amount of the fee, whichever is later. (R307-415-9(4)(a))

I.H. No Property Rights.

This permit does not convey any property rights of any sort, or any exclusive privilege. (R307-415-6a(6)(d))

I.I. Revision Exception.

No permit revision shall be required, under any approved economic incentives, marketable permits, emissions trading and other similar programs or processes for changes that are provided for in this permit. (R307-415-6a(8))

I.J. Inspection and Entry.

I.J.1 Upon presentation of credentials and other documents as may be required by law, the permittee shall allow the Executive Secretary or an authorized representative to perform any of the following:

I.J.1.a Enter upon the permittee's premises where the source is located or emissions related activity is conducted, or where records are kept under the conditions of this permit. (R307-415-6c(2)(a))

I.J.1.b Have access to and copy, at reasonable times, any records that must be kept under the conditions of this permit. (R307-415-6c(2)(b))

I.J.1.c Inspect at reasonable times any facilities, equipment (including monitoring and air pollution control equipment), practice, or operation regulated or required under this permit. (R307-415-6c(2)(c))

I.J.1.d Sample or monitor at reasonable times substances or parameters for the purpose of assuring compliance with this permit or applicable requirements. (R307-415-6c(2)(d))

I.J.2 Any claims of confidentiality made on the information obtained during an inspection shall be made pursuant to Utah Code Ann. Section 19-1-306. (R307-415-6c(2)(e))

I.K. Certification.

Any application form, report, or compliance certification submitted pursuant to this permit shall contain certification as to its truth, accuracy, and completeness, by a responsible official as defined in R307-415-3. This certification shall state that, based on information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, the statements and information in the document are true, accurate, and complete. (R307-415-5d)

I.L. Compliance Certification.

I.L.1 Permittee shall submit to the Executive Secretary an annual compliance certification, certifying compliance with the terms and conditions contained in this permit, including emission limitations, standards, or work practices. This certification shall be submitted no later than **May 1, 2004** and that date each year following until this permit expires. The certification shall include all the following (permittee may cross-reference this permit or previous reports): (R307-415-6c(5))

I.L.1.a The identification of each term or condition of this permit that is the basis of the certification;

I.L.1.b The identification of the methods or other means used by the permittee for determining the compliance status with each term and condition during the certification period, and whether such methods or other means provide continuous or intermittent data. Such methods and other means shall include, at a minimum, the monitoring and related recordkeeping and reporting requirements in this permit. If necessary, the permittee also shall identify any other material information that must be included in the certification to comply with section 113(c)(2) of the Act, which prohibits knowingly making a false certification or omitting material information;

I.L.1.c The status of compliance with the terms and conditions of the permit for the period covered by the certification, based on the method or means designated in Provision

I.L.1.b. The certification shall identify each deviation and take it into account in the compliance certification. The certification shall also identify as possible exceptions to compliance any periods during which compliance is required and in which an excursion or exceedance as defined under 40 CFR Part 64 occurred; and

I.L.1.d. Such other facts as the Executive Secretary may require to determine the compliance status.

I.L.2. The permittee shall also submit all compliance certifications to the EPA, Region VIII, at the following address or to such other address as may be required by the Executive Secretary: (R307-415-6c(5)(d))

Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice
(mail code 8ENF)
EPA, Region VIII
999 18th Street, Suite 300
Denver, CO 80202-2466

I.M. Permit Shield.

I.M.1. Compliance with the provisions of this permit shall be deemed compliance with any applicable requirements as of the date of this permit, provided that:

I.M.1.a. Such applicable requirements are included and are specifically identified in this permit, or (R307-415-6f(1)(a))

I.M.1.b. Those requirements not applicable to the source are specifically identified and listed in this permit. (R307-415-6f(1)(b))

I.M.2. Nothing in this permit shall alter or affect any of the following:

I.M.2.a. The emergency provisions of Utah Code Ann. Section 19-1-202 and Section 19-2-112, and the provisions of the CAA Section 303. (R307-415-6f(3)(a))

I.M.2.b. The liability of the owner or operator of the source for any violation of applicable requirements under Utah Code Ann. Section 19-2-107(2)(g) and Section 19-2-110 prior to or at the time of issuance of this permit. (R307-415-6f(3)(b))

I.M.2.c. The applicable requirements of the Acid Rain Program, consistent with the CAA Section 408(a). (R307-415-6f(3)(c))

I.M.2.d. The ability of the Executive Secretary to obtain information from the source under Utah Code Ann. Section 19-2-120, and the ability of the EPA to obtain information from the source under the CAA Section 114. (R307-415-6f(3)(d))

I.N. Emergency Provision.

I.N.1. An “emergency” is any situation arising from sudden and reasonably unforeseeable events beyond the control of the source, including acts of God, which situation requires immediate corrective action to restore normal operation, and that causes the source to exceed a technology-

based emission limitation under this permit, due to unavoidable increases in emissions attributable to the emergency. An emergency shall not include noncompliance to the extent caused by improperly designed equipment, lack of preventive maintenance, careless or improper operation, or operator error. (R307-415-6g(1))

- I.N.2 An emergency constitutes an affirmative defense to an action brought for noncompliance with such technology-based emission limitations if the affirmative defense is demonstrated through properly signed, contemporaneous operating logs, or other relevant evidence that:
- I.N.2.a An emergency occurred and the permittee can identify the causes of the emergency. (R307-415-6g(3)(a))
- I.N.2.b The permitted facility was at the time being properly operated. (R307-415-6g(3)(b))
- I.N.2.c During the period of the emergency the permittee took all reasonable steps to minimize levels of emissions that exceeded the emission standards, or other requirements in this permit. (R307-415-6g(3)(c))
- I.N.2.d The permittee submitted notice of the emergency to the Executive Secretary within two working days of the time when emission limitations were exceeded due to the emergency. This notice must contain a description of the emergency, any steps taken to mitigate emissions, and corrective actions taken. This notice fulfills the requirement of Provision I.S.2.c below. (R307-415-6g(3)(d))
- I.N.3 In any enforcement proceeding, the permittee seeking to establish the occurrence of an emergency has the burden of proof. (R307-415-6g(4))
- I.N.4 This emergency provision is in addition to any emergency or upset provision contained in any other section of this permit. (R307-415-6g(5))

I.O. Operational Flexibility.

Operational flexibility is governed by R307-415-7d(1).

I.P. Off-permit Changes.

Off-permit changes are governed by R307-415-7d(2).

I.Q. Administrative Permit Amendments.

Administrative permit amendments are governed by R307-415-7e.

I.R. Permit Modifications.

Permit modifications are governed by R307-415-7f.

I.S. Records and Reporting.

I.S.1 Records.

- I.S.1.a The records of all required monitoring data and support information shall be retained by the permittee for a period of at least five years from the date of the monitoring sample,

measurement, report, or application. Support information includes all calibration and maintenance records, all original strip-charts or appropriate recordings for continuous monitoring instrumentation, and copies of all reports required by this permit. (R307-415-6a(3)(b)(ii))

- I.S.1.b For all monitoring requirements described in Section II, Special Provisions, the source shall record the following information, where applicable: (R307-415-6a(3)(b)(i))
- I.S.1.b.1 The date, place as defined in this permit, and time of sampling or measurement.
- I.S.1.b.2 The date analyses were performed.
- I.S.1.b.3 The company or entity that performed the analyses.
- I.S.1.b.4 The analytical techniques or methods used.
- I.S.1.b.5 The results of such analyses.
- I.S.1.b.6 The operating conditions as existing at the time of sampling or measurement.
- I.S.1.c Additional record keeping requirements, if any, are described in Section II, Special Provisions.
- I.S.2 Reports.
- I.S.2.a Monitoring reports shall be submitted to the Executive Secretary every six months, or more frequently if specified in Section II. All instances of deviation from permit requirements shall be clearly identified in the reports. (R307-415-6a(3)(c)(i))
- I.S.2.b All reports submitted pursuant to Provision I.S.2.a shall be certified by a responsible official in accordance with Provision I.K of this permit. (R307-415-6a(3)(c)(i))
- I.S.2.c The Executive Secretary shall be notified promptly of any deviations from permit requirements including those attributable to upset conditions as defined in this permit, the probable cause of such deviations, and any corrective actions or preventative measures taken. **Prompt, as used in this condition, shall be defined as written notification within 14 days.** Deviations from permit requirements due to unavoidable breakdowns shall be reported in accordance with the provisions of R307-107. (R307-415-6a(3)(c)(ii))
- I.S.3 Notification Addresses.
- I.S.3.a All reports, notifications, or other submissions required by this permit to be submitted to the Executive Secretary are to be sent to the following address or to such other address as may be required by the Executive Secretary:

Utah Division of Air Quality
P.O. Box 144820
Salt Lake City, UT 84114-4820
Phone: 801-536-4000

- I.S.3.b All reports, notifications or other submissions required by this permit to be submitted to the EPA should be sent to one of the following addresses or to such other address as may be required by the Executive Secretary:

For annual compliance certifications

Environmental Protection Agency, Region VIII
Office of Enforcement, Compliance and
Environmental Justice (mail code 8ENF)
999 18th Street, Suite 300
Denver, CO 80202-2466

For reports, notifications, or other correspondence
related to permit modifications, applications, etc.

Environmental Protection Agency, Region VIII
Office of Partnerships & Regulatory Assistance
Air & Radiation Program (mail code 8P-AR)
999 18th Street, Suite 300
Denver, CO 80202-2466
Phone: 303-312-6440

I.T. Reopening for Cause.

- I.T.1 A permit shall be reopened and revised under any of the following circumstances:

- I.T.1.a New applicable requirements become applicable to the permittee and there is a remaining permit term of three or more years. No such reopening is required if the effective date of the requirement is later than the date on which this permit is due to expire, unless the terms and conditions of this permit have been extended pursuant to R307-415-7c(3), application shield. (R307-415-7g(1)(a))
- I.T.1.b The Executive Secretary or EPA determines that this permit contains a material mistake or that inaccurate statements were made in establishing the emissions standards or other terms or conditions of this permit. (R307-415-7g(1)(c))
- I.T.1.c EPA or the Executive Secretary determines that this permit must be revised or revoked to assure compliance with applicable requirements. (R307-415-7g(1)(d))
- I.T.1.d Additional applicable requirements are to become effective before the renewal date of this permit and are in conflict with existing permit conditions. (R307-415-7g(1)(e))
- I.T.2 Proceedings to reopen and issue a permit shall follow the same procedures as apply to initial permit issuance and shall affect only those parts of this permit for which cause to reopen exists. (R307-415-7g(2))

I.U. Inventory Requirements.

- I.U.1 An emission inventory shall be submitted in accordance with the procedures of R307-150, Emission Inventories. (R307-150)
- I.U.2 A Hazardous Air Pollutant Inventory shall be submitted in accordance with the procedures of R307-155, Hazardous Air Pollutant Inventory. (R307-155)

Section II: SPECIAL PROVISIONS

II.A. Emission Unit(s) Permitted to Discharge Air Contaminants.

(R307-415-4(3)(a) and R307-415-4(4))

- II.A.1 **Compressor Engine #1** (designated as Unit MEP-1)
 Unit Description: 1800 hp, natural gas, internal combustion engine
- II.A.2 **Compressor Engine #2** (designated as Unit MEP-2)
 Unit Description: 1800 hp, natural gas, internal combustion engine
- II.A.3 **Compressor Engine #3** (designated as Unit MEP-3)
 Unit Description: 1800 hp, natural gas, internal combustion engine
- II.A.4 **Compressor Engine #4** (designated as Unit MEP-4)
 Unit Description: 1800 hp, natural gas, internal combustion engine
- II.A.5 **Heater #1** (designated as Unit Oil Heater #1)
 Unit Description: 11.6 MMBTU/hr, natural gas
- II.A.6 **Heater #2** (designated as Unit Oil Heater #2)
 Unit Description: 5.3 MMBTU/hr, natural gas
- II.A.7 **Heaters #1 and 2** (designated as Unit Oil Heaters #1 and 2)
 Unit Description: Group of Oil Heater #1 and Oil Heater #2.

II.B. Requirements and limitations.

The following emission limitations, standards, and operational limitations apply to the permitted facility as indicated: (R307-415-6a(1))

II.B.1 Conditions on permitted source (Source-wide)

II.B.1.a Condition:

A Risk Management Plan (RMP) developed in accordance with 40 CFR Part 68 shall be submitted to the United States Environmental Protection Agency not later than the applicable date in 40 CFR 68. [Authority granted under 40 CFR 68; condition originated in 40 CFR Part 68]

II.B.1.a.1 Monitoring:

Records required for this permit condition will serve as monitoring.

II.B.1.a.2 Recordkeeping:

A copy of the Risk Management Plan shall be available to the Executive Secretary upon request along with a copy of the transmittal letter to EPA.

II.B.1.a.3 Reporting:

There are no reporting requirements for this provision except those specified in Section I of this permit.

II.B.1.b Condition:

Visible emissions shall be no greater than 20 percent opacity. [Authority granted under R307-401-6(1) [BACT]; condition originated in BAQE-035-89]

II.B.1.b.1

Monitoring:

In lieu of monitoring via visible emission observations, fuel usage shall be monitored to demonstrate that only pipeline-quality natural gas is used as fuel.

II.B.1.b.2

Recordkeeping:

An operating log will be maintained to document any period when plant equipment is operated using any fuel other than natural gas.

II.B.1.b.3

Reporting:

There are no reporting requirements for this provision except those specified in Section I of this permit.

II.B.1.c

Condition:

I. Standards for pumps in light liquid service.

For each pump in light liquid service, the permittee shall comply with the requirements as provided in the paragraphs (a) through (g) of this section or demonstrate that the pump is neither in VOC service nor in wet gas service.

- (a) (1) If an instrument reading of 10,000 ppm or greater is measured, a leak is detected.
- (2) If there are indications of liquids dripping from the pump seal, a leak is detected.
- (b) (1) When a leak is detected, it shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but not later than 15 calendar days after it is detected, except as provided in Standard VII (Delay of Repair) of this permit condition.

(2) A first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after each leak is detected.

(c) Each pump equipped with a dual mechanical seal system that includes a barrier fluid system is exempt from the monitoring requirements of Monitoring Provision II(a) of this permit condition, Provided the following requirements are met:

- (1) Each dual mechanical seal system is-
 - (i) Operated with the barrier fluid at a pressure that is at all times greater than the pump stuffing box pressure; or
 - (ii) Equipment with a barrier fluid degassing reservoir that is routed to a process or fuel gas system or connected by a closed vent system to a control device that complies with the requirements of Standard VIII of this permit condition; or
 - (iii) Equipped with a system that purges the barrier fluid into a process stream with zero VOC emissions to the atmosphere.
- (2) The barrier fluid system is in heavy liquid service or is not in VOC service.
- (3) Each barrier fluid system is equipped with a sensor that will detect failure of the seal system, the barrier fluid system, or both.
- (4) Each pump is checked by visual inspection, each calendar week, for indications of liquids dripping from the pump seals.
- (5) (i) Each sensor as described in paragraph (c)(3) of this section is checked daily or is equipped with an audible alarm, and
 - (ii) The permittee determines, based on design considerations and operating experience, a criterion that indicates failure of the seal system, the barrier fluid system, or both.
- (6) (i) If there are indications of liquids dripping from the pump seal or the sensor indicates failure of the seal system, the barrier fluid system, or both based on the criterion determined in paragraph (c)(5)(ii) of this section, a leak is detected.

(ii) When a leak is detected, it shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but not later than 15 calendar days after it is detected, except as provided in Standard VII (Delay of Repair) of this permit condition.

(iii) A first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after each leak is detected.

(d) Any pump that is designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision I(e)(1) and I(e)(2) of this permit condition, for no detectable emission, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, is exempt from the requirements of Monitoring Provision II(a) of this permit condition, paragraphs (b), and (c) of this section if the pump:

(1) Has no externally actuated shaft penetrating the pump housing,

(2) Is demonstrated to be operating with no detectable emissions as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background as measured by the methods specified Monitoring Provision I(c) of this permit condition, and

(3) Is tested for compliance with paragraph (d)(2) of this section initially upon designation, annually, and at other times requested by the Executive Secretary.

(e) If any pump is equipped with a closed vent system capable of capturing and transporting any leakage from the seal or seals to a process or to a fuel gas system or to a control device that complies with the requirements of Standard VIII of this permit condition, it is exempt from Monitoring Provision II(a) of this permit condition, and paragraphs (a) through (d) of this section.

(f) Any pump that is designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision (f)(1) of this permit condition, as an unsafe-to-monitor pump is exempt from the monitoring and inspection requirements of Monitoring Provision II(a) of this permit condition, and paragraphs (c)(4) through (c)(6) of this section if:

(1) The permittee of the pump demonstrates that the pump is unsafe-to-monitor because monitoring personnel would be exposed to an immediate danger as a consequence of complying Monitoring Provision II(a) of this permit condition; and

(2) The permittee of the pump has a written plan that requires monitoring of the pump as frequently as practicable during safe-to-monitor times but not more frequently than the periodic monitoring schedule otherwise applicable, and repair of the equipment according to the procedures in paragraph (b) of this section if a leak is detected.

(g) Any pump that is located within the boundary of an unmanned plant site is exempt from the weekly visual inspection requirement of Monitoring Provision II(a)(2) of this permit condition, and paragraph (c)(4) of this section, and the daily requirements of paragraph (c)(5) of this section, provided that each pump is visually inspected as often as practicable and at least monthly.

(40 CFR 60.482-2(b) through (h))

II. Standards for compressor

For each compressor, the permittee shall comply with the requirement as provided in paragraphs (a) through (j) of this section or demonstrate that the compressor is neither in VOC service nor in wet gas service or is a reciprocating compressor in wet gas service (40 CFR 60.633(f)).

(a) Each compressor shall be equipped with a seal system that includes a barrier fluid system and that prevents leakage of VOC to the atmosphere, except as provided in 40 CFR 60.634 and paragraphs (h) and (i) of this section.

(b) Each compressor seal system as required in paragraph (a) of this section shall be:

(1) Operated with the barrier fluid at a pressure that is greater than the compressor stuffing box pressure; or

(2) Equipped with a barrier fluid system degassing reservoir that is routed to a process or fuel gas system or connected by a closed vent system to a control device that complies with the requirements of Standard VIII of this permit condition; or

(3) Equipped with a system that purges the barrier fluid into a process stream with zero VOC emissions to the atmosphere.

(c) The barrier fluid system shall be in heavy liquid service or shall not be in VOC service.

(d) Each barrier fluid system as described in paragraph (a) of this section shall be equipped with a sensor that will detect failure of the seal system, barrier fluid system, or both.

(e) (1) Each sensor as required in paragraph (d) of this section shall be checked daily or shall be equipped with an audible alarm.

(2) The permittee shall determine, based on design considerations and operating experience, a criterion that indicates failure of the seal system, the barrier fluid system, or both.

(f) If the sensor indicates failure of the seal system, the barrier system, or both based on the criterion determined under paragraph (e)(2) of this section, a leak is detected.

(g) (1) When a leak is detected, it shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but not later than 15 calendar days after it is detected, except as provided in Standard VII (Delay of Repair) of this permit condition.

(2) A first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after each leak is detected.

(h) A compressor is exempt from the requirements of paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section, if it is equipped with a closed vent system capable of capturing and transporting any leakage from the seal to a control device that complies with the requirements of Standard VIII of this permit condition, except as provided in paragraph (i) of this section.

(i) Any compressor that is designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision I(e)(1) and I(e)(2) of this permit condition, for no detectable emissions, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, is exempt from the requirements of paragraphs (a) through (h) of this section if the compressor:

(1) Is demonstrated to be operating with no detectable emissions, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, as measured by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(c) of this permit condition; and

(2) Is tested for compliance with paragraph (i)(1) of this section initially upon designation, annually, and at other times requested by the Executive Secretary.

(j) Any existing reciprocating compressor in a process unit which becomes an affected facility under provisions of 40 CFR 60.14 or 40 CFR 60.15 is exempt from paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), and (h) of this section, provided the permittee demonstrates that recasting the distance piece or replacing the compressor are the only options available to bring the compressor into compliance with these standards. (40 CFR 60.482-3)

III. Standards for pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service.

For each pressure relief device in gas/vapor service, the permittee shall comply with the requirements as provided in paragraphs (a) through (d) or paragraphs (e)(1) through (e)(4) of this section or demonstrate that the pressure relief device is neither in VOC service nor in wet gas service.

(a) Except during pressure releases, each pressure relief device in gas/vapor service shall be operated with no detectable emissions, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, as determined by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(c) of this permit condition.

(b) (1) After each pressure release, the pressure relief device shall be returned to a condition of no detectable emissions, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, as soon as practicable, but no later than 5 calendar days after the pressure release, except as provided in Section VII (Delay of Repair) of this permit condition.

(2) No later than 5 calendar days after the pressure release, the pressure relief device shall be monitored to confirm the conditions of no detectable emissions, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, by the methods Monitoring Provision I(c) of this permit condition.

(c) Any pressure relief device that is routed to a process or fuel gas system or equipped with a closed vent system capable of capturing and transporting leakage through the pressure relief device to a control device as described in Section VIII of this condition is exempted from the requirements of paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section.

(d) (1) Any pressure relief device that is equipped with a rupture disk upstream of the pressure relief device is exempt from the requirements of paragraphs (a) and (b) of this section, provided the Permittee complies with the requirements in paragraph (d)(2) of this section.

(2) After each pressure release, a new rupture disk shall be installed upstream of the pressure relief device as soon as practicable, but no later than 5 calendar days after each pressure release, except as provided in Section VII (Delay of Repair) of this condition.
[40 60.482-4]

(e) (1) Each pressure relief device in gas/vapor service may be monitored within 5 days after each pressure release to detect leaks by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition, except as provided in 40 CFR 60.634, paragraph (e)(4), and paragraphs (a) through (c) of this section.

(2) If an instrument reading of 10,000 ppm or greater is measured, a leak is detected.

(3) (i) When a leak is detected, it shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but no later than 15 calendar days after it is detected, except as provided in Section VII (Delay of Repair) of this permit condition.

(ii) A first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after each leak is detected.

(4) (i) Any pressure relief device that is located in a nonfractionating plant that is monitored only by nonplant personnel may be monitored after a pressure release the next time the monitoring personnel are on site, instead of within 5 days as specified in paragraphs (e)(1) and (b)(1) of this section.

(ii) No pressure relief device described in paragraph (e)(4)(i) of this section shall be allowed to operate for more than 30 days after a pressure release without monitoring.
(40 CFR 60.633(b))

IV. Standards for open-ended valves or lines.

For each open-ended valve or line, the permittee shall comply with the requirements as provided in paragraphs (a) through (e) of this section or demonstrate that the open-ended valve or line is neither in VOC service nor in wet gas service.

(a) (1) Each open-ended valve or line shall be equipped with a cap, blind flange, plug, or a second valve, except as provided in 40 CFR 60.634.

(2) The cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve shall seal the open end at all times except during operations requiring process fluid flow through the open-ended valve or line.

(b) Each open-ended valve or line equipped with a second valve shall be operated in a manner such that the valve on the process fluid end is closed before the second valve is closed.

(c) When a double block-and-bleed system is being used, the bleed valve or line may remain open during operations that require venting the line between the block valves but shall comply with paragraph (a) of this section at all other times.

(d) Open-ended valves or lines in an emergency shutdown system which are designed to open automatically in the event of a process upset are exempt from the requirements of paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of this section.

(e) Open-ended valves or lines containing materials which would autocatalytically polymerize or would present an explosion, serious overpressure, or other safety hazard if capped or equipped with a double block and bleed system as specified in paragraphs (a) through (c) of this section are exempt from the requirements of paragraphs (a) through (c) of this section. [40 CFR 60.482-6]

V. Standards for valves in gas/vapor service in light liquid service.

(a) Each valve shall comply with paragraphs (b) through (d) of this section, except as provided in paragraphs (e), (f), and (g) of this section, Standards IX, X of this permit condition, and 40 CFR 60.634, or demonstrate that the open-ended valve or line is neither in VOC service nor in wet gas service.

(b) If an instrument reading of 10,000 ppm or greater is measured, a leak is detected.

(c) (1) When a leak is detected, it shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but no later than 15 calendar days after the leak is detected, except as provided in Section VII (Delay of Repair) of this condition.

(2) A first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after each leak is detected.

(d) First attempts at repair include, but are not limited to, the following best practices where practicable:

- (1) Tightening of bonnet bolts;
- (2) Replacement of bonnet bolts;
- (3) Tightening of packing gland nuts;
- (4) Injection of lubricant into lubricated packing.

(e) Any valve that is designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision I(e)(2) of this permit condition, for no detectable emissions, as indicated by an instrument reading of less than 500 ppm above background, is exempt from the requirements of monthly monitoring in Monitoring Provision IV(a) of this permit condition if the valve:

- (1) Has no external actuating mechanism in contact with the process fluid,
- (2) Is operated with emissions less than 500 ppm above background as determined by the method specified in Monitoring Provision I(c) of this permit condition, and
- (3) Is tested for compliance with paragraph (e)(2) of this section initially upon designation, annually, and at other times requested by the Executive Secretary.

(f) Any valve that is designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision I(f)(1) of this permit condition, as an unsafe-to-monitor valve is exempt from the requirements of monthly monitoring in Monitoring Provision IV(a) of this permit condition if:

- (1) The permittee of the valve demonstrates that the valve is unsafe to monitor because monitoring personnel would be exposed to an immediate danger as a consequence of complying with monthly monitoring requirement specified in Monitoring Provision IV(a) of this permit condition and

(2) The permittee of the valve adheres to a written plan that requires monitoring of the valve as frequently as practicable during safe-to-monitor times.

(g) Any valve that is designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision I(f)(2) of this permit condition, as a difficult-to-monitor valve is exempt from the requirements of monthly monitoring in Monitoring Provision IV(a) of this permit condition if:

(1) The permittee of the valve demonstrates that the valve cannot be monitored without elevating the monitoring personnel more than 2 meters above a support surface.

(2) The process unit within which the valve is located either becomes an affected facility through 40 CFR 60.14 or 40 CFR 60.15 or the permittee designates less than 3.0 percent of the total number of valves as difficult-to-monitor, and

(3) The permittee of the valve follows a written plan that requires monitoring of the valve at least once per calendar year.

(40 CFR 60.482-7 (a), (b), (d), (e), (f), (g))

VI. Standards for pumps and valves in heavy liquid service, pressure relief devices in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and connectors

For each pumps and valve in heavy liquid service, pressure relief device in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and connector, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements or demonstrate that the open-ended valve or line is neither in VOC service nor in wet gas service.

(a) If evidence of a potential leak is found by visual, audible, olfactory, or any other detection method at pumps and valves in heavy liquid service, pressure relief devices in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and connectors, the permittee shall follow either one of the following procedures:

(1) The permittee shall monitor the equipment within 5 days by the method specified in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition and shall comply with the requirements of paragraphs (b) through (d) of this section

(2) The permittee shall eliminate the visual, audible, olfactory, or other indication of a potential leak.

(b) If an instrument reading of 10,000 ppm or greater is measured, a leak is detected.

(c) (1) When a leak is detected, it shall be repaired as soon as practicable, but not later than 15 calendar days after it is detected, except as provided in Section VII (Delay of Repair) under this condition.

(2) The first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after each leak is detected.

(d) First attempts at repair include, but are not limited to, the best practices described in Standard V(d) of this permit condition.

(40 CFR 60.482-8)

VII. Standards for delay of repair.

(a) Delay of repair of equipment for which leaks have been detected will be allowed if repair within 15 days is technically infeasible without a process unit shutdown. Repair of this equipment shall occur before the end of the next process unit shutdown.

(b) Delay of repair of equipment will be allowed for equipment which is isolated from the process and which does not remain in VOC service.

(c) Delay of repair for valves will be allowed if:

(1) The permittee demonstrates that emissions of purged material resulting from immediate repair are greater than the fugitive emissions likely to result from delay of repair, and

(2) When repair procedures are effected, the purged material is collected and destroyed or recovered in a control device complying with Standard VIII under this condition.

(d) Delay of repair for pumps will be allowed if:

(1) Repair requires the use of a dual mechanical seal system that includes a barrier fluid system, and

(2) Repair is completed as soon as practicable, but not later than 6 months after the leak was detected.

(e) Delay of repair beyond a process unit shutdown will be allowed for a valve, if valve assembly replacement is necessary during the process unit shutdown, valve assembly supplies have been depleted, and valve assembly supplies had been sufficiently stocked before the supplies were depleted. Delay of repair beyond the next process unit shutdown will not be allowed unless the next process unit shutdown occurs sooner than 6 months after the first process unit shutdown.

(40.60.482-9)

VIII. Standards for closed vent systems and control devices.

(a) The permittee of closed vent systems and control devices used to comply with provisions of this permit condition shall comply with the provisions of this section.

(b) Vapor recovery systems (for example, condensers and absorbers) shall be designed and operated to recover the VOC emissions vented to them with an efficiency of 95 percent or greater, or to an exit concentration of 20 parts per million by volume, whichever is less stringent.

(c) Enclosed combustion devices shall be designed and operated to reduce the VOC emissions vented to them with an efficiency of 95 percent or greater, or to an exit concentration of 20 parts per million by volume, on a dry basis, corrected to 3 percent oxygen, whichever is less stringent or to provide a minimum residence time of 0.75 seconds at a minimum temperature of 816 °C.

(d) Flares used to comply with this permit condition shall comply with the requirements of 40 CFR 60.18.

(e) The permittee of control devices used to comply with the provisions of this permit condition shall monitor these control devices to ensure that they are operated and maintained in conformance with their designs.

(f) Leaks, as indicated by an instrument reading greater than 500 parts per million by volume above background or by visual inspections, shall be repaired as soon as practicable except as provided in paragraph (e) of this section.

(1) A first attempt at repair shall be made no later than 5 calendar days after the leak is detected.

(2) Repair shall be completed no later than 15 calendar days after the leak is detected.

(g) Delay of repair of a closed vent system for which leaks have been detected is allowed if the repair is technically infeasible without a process unit shutdown or if the Permittee determines that emissions resulting from immediate repair would be greater than the fugitive emissions likely to result from delay of repair. Repair of such equipment shall be complete by the end of the next process unit shutdown.

(h) If a vapor collection system or closed vent system is operated under a vacuum, it is exempt from the inspection requirements specified in Monitoring Provision VI(a)(1)(i) and VI(a)(2) of this permit condition.

(i) Any parts of the closed vent system that are designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision IV(a)(1) of this permit condition., as unsafe to inspect are exempt from the inspection requirements as specified in Monitoring Provision

VI(a)(1)(i) and VI(a)(2) of this permit condition if they comply with the requirements specified in paragraphs (g)(1) and (g)(2) of this section:

(1) The permittee determines that the equipment is unsafe to inspect because inspecting personnel would be exposed to an imminent or potential danger as a consequence of complying with the inspection requirements as specified in Monitoring Provision VI(a)(1)(i) and VI(a)(2) of this permit condition; and

(2) The permittee has a written plan that requires inspection of the equipment as frequently as practicable during safe-to-inspect times.

(j) Any parts of the closed vent system that are designated, as described in Recordkeeping Provision IV(a)(2) of this permit condition, as difficult to inspect are exempt from the inspection requirements as specified in Monitoring Provision VI(a)(1)(i) and VI(a)(2) of this permit condition if they comply with the requirements specified in paragraphs (h)(1) through (h)(3) of this section:

(1) The permittee determines that the equipment cannot be inspected without elevating the inspecting personnel more than 2 meters above a support surface; and

(2) The process unit within which the closed vent system is located becomes an affected facility through 40 CFR 60.14 or 60.15, or the Permittee designates less than 3.0 percent of the total number of closed vent system equipment as difficult to inspect; and

(3) The permittee has a written plan that requires inspection of the equipment at least once every 5 years. A closed vent system is exempt from inspection if it is operated under a vacuum.

(k) Closed vent systems and control devices used to comply with provisions of this condition shall be operated at all times when emissions may be vented to them.

[40 CFR 60.482-10(a, d, e, g, h, I, j, k, m)]

IX. Standard for alternative standards for valves-allowable percentage of valves leaking.

(a) The permittee may elect to comply with an allowable percentage of valves leaking of equal to or less than 2.0 percent.

(b) The following requirements shall be met if permittee wishes to comply with an allowable percentage of valves leaking:

(1) The permittee must notify the Executive Secretary that the permittee has elected to comply with the allowable percentage of valves leaking before implementing this alternative standard, as specified in Reporting Provision I(d) of this permit condition.

(2) A performance test as specified in paragraph (c) of this section shall be conducted initially upon designation, annually, and at other times requested by the Executive Secretary.

(3) If a valve leak is detected, it shall be repaired in accordance with Standards V(c) and V(d) of this permit condition.

(c) Performance tests shall be conducted in the following manner:

(1) All valves in gas/vapor and light liquid service within the affected facility shall be monitored within 1 week by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition.

(2) If an instrument reading of 10,000 ppm or greater is measured, a leak is detected.

(3) The leak percentage shall be determined by dividing the number of valves for which leaks are detected by the number of valves in gas/vapor and light liquid service within the affected facility.

(d) The permittee who elect to comply with this alternative standard shall not have an affected facility with a leak percentage greater than 2.0 percent.

(40CFR 60.483-1)

X. Standards for alternative standards for valves-skip period leak detection and repair.

(a) (1) The permittee may elect to comply with one of the alternative work practices specified in paragraphs (b)(2) and (b)(3) of this section.

(2) The permittee must notify the Executive Secretary before implementing one of the alternative work practices, as specified in Reporting Provision I(d) of this permit condition.

(b) (1) The permittee shall comply initially with the requirements for valves in gas/vapor service and valves in light liquid service, as described in Standard V of this permit condition.

(2) After 2 consecutive quarterly leak detection periods with the percent of valves leaking equal to or less than 2.0, the permittee may begin to skip 1 of the quarterly leak detection periods for the valves in gas/vapor and light liquid service.

(3) After 5 consecutive quarterly leak detection periods with the percent of valves leaking equal to or less than 2.0, the permittee may begin to skip 3 of the quarterly leak detection periods for the valves in gas/vapor and light liquid service.

(4) If the percent of valves leaking is greater than 2.0, the permittee shall comply with the requirements as described in Standard V of this permit condition but can again elect to use this section.

(5) The percent of valves leaking shall be determined by dividing the sum of valves found leaking during current monitoring and valves for which repair has been delayed by the total number of valves subject to the requirements of this section.

(6) The permittee must keep a record of the percent of valves found leaking during each leak detection period (40CFR 60.483-2). [Authority granted under NSPS KKK; condition originated in 40 CFR 60 Subpart KKK]

II.B.1.c.1

Monitoring:

I. General

The monitoring requirements under this section apply to all affected equipments. Compliance will be determined by review of records and reports, review of performance test results, and inspection using the methods and procedures specified in following paragraphs:

(a) In conducting the performance tests required in 40 CFR 60.8, the permittee shall use as reference methods and procedures the test methods in appendix A of 40 CFR 60 or other methods and procedures as specified in this section, except as provided in 40 CFR 60.8(b).

(b) The permittee shall determine compliance with the standards as follows:

(1) Method 21 shall be used to determine the presence of leaking sources. The instrument shall be calibrated before use each day of its use by the procedures specified in Method 21. The following calibration gases shall be used:

(i) Zero air (less than 10 ppm of hydrocarbon in air); and

(ii) A mixture of methane or n-hexane and air at a concentration of about, but less than, 10,000 ppm methane or n-hexane.

(c) The permittee shall determine compliance with the no detectable emission standards in Standards I(d), II(i), III, V(e), and VIII(e) of this permit condition as follows:

(1) The requirements of paragraph (b) of this section shall apply.

(2) Method 21 shall be used to determine the background level. All potential leak interfaces shall be traversed as close to the interface as possible. The arithmetic difference between the maximum concentration indicated by the

instrument and the background level is compared with 500 ppm for determining compliance.

(d) The permittee shall test each piece of equipment unless he demonstrates that a process unit is not in VOC service, i.e., that the VOC content would never be reasonably expected to exceed 10 percent by weight. For purposes of this demonstration, the following methods and procedures shall be used:

(1) Each piece of equipment is presumed to be in VOC service or in wet gas service unless the permittee demonstrates that the piece of equipment is not in VOC service or in wet gas service. For a piece of equipment to be considered not in VOC service, it must be determined that the VOC content can be reasonably expected never to exceed 10.0 percent by weight. For a piece of equipment to be considered in wet gas service, it must be determined that it contains or contacts the field gas before the extraction step in the process. For purposes of determining the percent VOC content of the process fluid that is contained in or contacts a piece of equipment, procedures that conform to the methods described in ASTM E169-63, 77, or 93, E168-67, 77, or 92, or E260-73, 91, or 96 shall be used (40 CFR 60.632(f)).

(2) Organic compounds that are considered by the Executive Secretary to have negligible photochemical reactivity may be excluded from the total quantity of organic compounds in determining the VOC content of the process fluid.

(3) Engineering judgment may be used to estimate the VOC content, if a piece of equipment had not been shown previously to be in service. If the Executive Secretary disagrees with the judgment, paragraphs (d) (1) and (d)(2) of this section shall be used to resolve the disagreement.

(e) The permittee shall demonstrate that an equipment is in light liquid service by showing that either the paragraphs (e)(1) through (e)(3) or paragraphs (e)(4) and (e)(5) of this section apply:

(1) The vapor pressure of one or more of the components is greater than 0.3 kPa at 20°C (1.2 in. H₂O at 68°F. Standard reference texts or ASTM D2879-83, 96, or 97 shall be used to determine the vapor pressures.

(2) The total concentration of the pure components having a vapor pressure greater than 0.3 kPa at 20°C (1.2 in. H₂O at 68°F is equal to or greater than 20 percent by weight.

(3) The fluid is a liquid at operating conditions.

(4) Equipment is in heavy liquid service if the weight percent evaporated is 10 percent or less at 150°C (302 °F) as determined by ASTM Method D86-78, 82, 90, 95, or 96. [40 CFR 60.633(h)(1)]

(5) Equipment is in light liquid service if the weight percent evaporated is greater than 10 percent at 150°C (302 °F) as determined by ASTM Method D86-78, 82, 90, 95, or 96.

[40 CFR 60.633(h)(2)]

(f) Samples used in conjunction with paragraphs (d), (e), and (g) of this section shall be representative of the process fluid that is contained in or contacts the equipment or the gas being combusted in the flare.

(g) The permittee shall determine compliance with the standards of flares as follows:

(1) Method 22 shall be used to determine visible emissions.

(2) A thermocouple or any other equivalent device shall be used to monitor the presence of a pilot flame in the flare.

(3) The maximum permitted velocity for air assisted flares shall be computed using the following equation:

Where:

V_{max} = Maximum permitted velocity, m/sec (ft/sec)

HT = Net heating value of the gas being combusted, MJ/scm (Btu/scf).

K₁ = 8.706 m/sec (metric units)

= 28.56 ft/sec (English units)

K₂ = 0.7084 m⁴/(MJ-sec) (metric units)

= 0.087 ft⁴/(Btu-sec) (English units)

(4) The net heating value (HT) of the gas being combusted in a flare shall be computed using the following equation:

Where:

K = Conversion constant, 1.740×10^{-7} (g-mole)(MJ)/ (ppm-scm-kcal) (metric units)

= 4.674×10^{-8} [(g-mole)(Btu)/(ppm-scf-kcal)] (English units)

C_i = Concentration of sample component "i," ppm

H_i = net heat of combustion of sample component "i" at 25 °C and 760 mm Hg (77 °F and 14.7 psi), kcal/g-mole

(5) Method 18 and ASTM D 2504-67, 77, or 88 (Reapproved 1993) shall be used to determine the concentration of sample component "i."

(6) ASTM D 2382-76 or 88 or D4809-95 shall be used to determine the net heat of combustion of component "i" if published values are not available or cannot be calculated.

(7) Method 2, 2A, 2C, or 2D, as appropriate, shall be used to determine the actual exit velocity of a flare. If needed, the unobstructed (free) cross-sectional area of the flare tip shall be used.

(40 CFR 60.485 & 40 CFR 60.632 (f))

II. Pumps in light liquid services

In addition to general monitoring requirement specified in Monitoring Provision I of this permit condition, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements pertaining to each pump in light liquid services:

(a) (1) Each pump in light liquid service shall be monitored monthly to detect leaks by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition, except as provided in 40 CFR 60.634 and Standards I(c), I(d), and I(e) of this permit condition.

(2) Each pump in light liquid service shall be checked by visual inspection each calendar week for indications of liquids dripping from the pump seal.

(40 CFR 60.482-2 (a))

III. Pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service

In addition to general monitoring requirement specified in Monitoring Provision I of this permit condition, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements pertaining to each pressure relief device in gas/vapor service:

(a) (1) Each pressure relief device in gas/vapor service may be monitored quarterly to detect leaks by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition, except as provided in 40 CFR 60.634 and Standard III(e)(4) and Standards III(a) through (c) of this permit condition.

(40 CFR 60.633(b)(1))

IV. Valves in gas/vapor service in light liquid service.

In addition to general monitoring requirement specified in Monitoring Provision I of this permit condition, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements pertaining to each valve in gas/vapor service in light liquid service:

(a) Each valve shall be monitored monthly to detect leaks by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition.

(b) (1) Any valve for which a leak is not detected for 2 successive months may be monitored the first month of every quarter, beginning with the next quarter, until a leak is detected.

(2) If a leak is detected, the valve shall be monitored monthly until a leak is not detected for 2 successive months.

(CFR 60.482-7 (a), (c))

V. Pumps and valves in heavy liquid service, pressure relief devices in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and connectors.

In addition to general monitoring requirement specified in Monitoring Provision I of this permit condition, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements pertaining to each pump and valve in heavy liquid service, pressure relief device in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and connector:

(a) Each pump and valve in heavy liquid service, pressure relief device in light liquid or heavy liquid service, and connector shall be checked by visual, audible, olfactory, or any other detection method for a potential leak each calendar week.

VI. Closed vent systems and control devices.

In addition to general monitoring requirement specified in Monitoring Provision I of this permit condition, each closed vent system shall be inspected according to the procedures and schedule specified in paragraphs (a)(1) and (a)(2) of this section, except as provided in Standards VIII(h) through VIII(j) of this permit condition.

(1) If the vapor collection system or closed vent system is constructed of hard-piping, the permittee shall comply with the requirements specified in paragraphs (a)(1)(i) and (a)(1)(ii) of this section:

(i) Conduct an initial inspection according to the procedures in Monitoring I(b) of this permit condition; and

(ii) Conduct annual visual inspections for visible, audible, or olfactory indications of leaks.

(2) If the vapor collection system or closed vent system is constructed of ductwork, the permittee shall:

(i) Conduct an initial inspection according to the procedures in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition; and

(ii) Conduct annual inspections according to the procedures in Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition.

(60.482-10(f)) (origin: NSPS Subpart KKK)

II.B.1.c.2

Recordkeeping:

The permittee shall maintain the records in accordance with the requirements of 40 CFR 60, subpart A and Section I.S.1 of this permit, in addition to the following requirements:

I. General

(a) (1) The permittee subject to the provisions of this subpart shall comply with the recordkeeping requirements of this section.

(2) The permittee of more than one affected facility subject to the provisions of this subpart may comply with the recordkeeping requirements for these facilities in one recordkeeping system if the system identifies each record by each facility.

(b) When each leak is detected as specified in Standards I, II, V, VI, and X of this permit condition, the following requirements apply:

(1) A weatherproof and readily visible identification, marked with the equipment identification number, shall be attached to the leaking equipment.

(2) The identification on a valve may be removed after it has been monitored for 2 successive months as specified in Monitoring Provision IV(b)(1) this permit condition and no leak has been detected during those 2 months.

(3) The identification on equipment except on a valve, may be removed after it has been repaired.

(c) When each leak is detected as specified in Standards I, II, V, VI and X of this permit condition, the following information shall be recorded in a log and shall be kept for 2 years in a readily accessible location:

(1) The instrument and operator identification numbers and the equipment identification number.

(2) The date the leak was detected and the dates of each attempt to repair the leak.

(3) Repair methods applied in each attempt to repair the leak.

(4) "Above 10,000" if the maximum instrument reading measured by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(a) of this permit condition after each repair attempt is equal to or greater than 10,000 ppm.

(5) "Repair delayed" and the reason for the delay if a leak is not repaired within 15 calendar days after discovery of the leak.

(6) The signature of the permittee (or designate) whose decision it was that repair could not be effected without a process shutdown.

(7) The expected date of successful repair of the leak if a leak is not repaired within 15 days.

(8) Dates of process unit shutdowns that occur while the equipment is unrepaired.

(9) The date of successful repair of the leak.

(d) The following information pertaining to the design requirements for closed vent systems and control devices described in Standard VIII of the condition shall be recorded and kept in a readily accessible location:

(1) Detailed schematics, design specifications, and piping and instrumentation diagrams.

(2) The dates and descriptions of any changes in the design specifications.

(3) A description of the parameter or parameters monitored, as required in Standard VIII(c) of this condition, to ensure that control devices are operated and maintained in conformance with their design and an explanation of why that parameter (or parameters) was selected for the monitoring.

(4) Periods when the closed vent systems and control devices required in Standards I, II, and III of this condition are not operated as designed, including periods when a flare pilot light does not have a flame.

(5) Dates of startups and shutdowns of the closed vent systems and control devices required in Standards I, II, and III of this permit condition.

(e) The following information pertaining to all equipment subject to the requirements in Standards of this permit condition shall be recorded in a log that is kept in a readily accessible location:

(1) A list of identification numbers for equipment subject to the requirements of this subpart.

(2) (i) A list of identification numbers for equipment that are designated for no detectable emissions under the Standards I(d), II(i), and V(e) of this permit condition.

(ii) The designation of equipment as subject to the requirements of Standards I(d), II(i), and V(e) of this permit condition shall be signed by the permittee.

(3) A list of equipment identification numbers for pressure relief devices required to comply with Standard III of this permit condition.

(4) (i) The dates of each compliance test as required in Standards I(d), II(i), III, and V(e) of this permit condition.

(ii) The background level measured during each compliance test.

(iii) The maximum instrument reading measured at the equipment during each compliance test.

(5) A list of identification numbers for equipment in vacuum service.

(f) The following information pertaining to all valves subject to the requirements of Standards V(f) and V(g) of this permit condition and to all pumps subject to the requirements of Standard I(f) of this permit condition shall be recorded in a log that is kept in a readily accessible location:

(1) A list of identification numbers for valves and pumps that are designated as unsafe-to-monitor, an explanation for each valve or pump stating why the valve or pump is unsafe-to-monitor, and the plan for monitoring each valve or pump.

(2) A list of identification numbers for valves that are designated as difficult-to-monitor, an explanation for each valve stating why the valve is difficult-to-monitor, and the schedule for monitoring each valve.

(g) The following information shall be recorded for valves complying with Standard X:

(1) A schedule of monitoring.

(2) The percent of valves found leaking during each monitoring period.

(h) The following information shall be recorded in a log that is kept in a readily accessible location:

(1) Design criterion required in Standards I(c)(5) and II (e)(2) of this permit condition and explanation of the design criterion; and

(2) Any changes to this criterion and the reasons for the changes.

(i) Information and data used to demonstrate that a piece of equipment is not in VOC service shall be recorded in a log that is kept in a readily accessible location.

(j) The provisions of 40 CFR 60.7(b) and (d) do not apply to affected facilities subject to this subpart.

(40 CFR 60.486(a) through (h), (j), and (k))

II. Compressor

In addition to general recordkeeping requirement specified in Section I of this permit condition, the following information pertaining to the compressor described in Standard II of this permit condition shall be recorded and kept in a readily accessible location:

(a) Information and data used to demonstrate that a reciprocating compressor is in wet gas service to apply for the exemption in Standard II of this permit condition shall be recorded in a log that is kept in a readily accessible location.

(40 CFR 60.635(c))

III. Pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service.

In addition to general recordkeeping requirement specified in Section I of this permit condition, the following information pertaining to the Pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service described in Standard III of this permit condition shall be recorded and kept in a readily accessible location:

(a) The following recordkeeping requirements shall apply to pressure relief devices subject to the requirements of Standard III(e)(1) and Monitoring Provision III(a)(1) of this permit condition.

(1) When each leak is detected as specified in Standard III(e)(2) of this permit condition, a weatherproof and readily visible identification, marked with the equipment identification number, shall be attached to the leaking equipment. The identification on the pressure relief device may be removed after it has been repaired.

(2) When each leak is detected as specified in Standard III(e)(2) of this permit condition, the following information shall be recorded in a log and shall be kept for 2 years in a readily accessible location:

(i) The instrument and operator identification numbers and the equipment identification number.

(ii) The date the leak was detected and the dates of each attempt to repair the leak.

(iii) Repair methods applied in each attempt to repair the leak.

(iv) "Above 10,000 ppm" if the maximum instrument reading measured by the methods specified in Monitoring Provision I(a) of this permit condition after each repair attempt is 10,000 ppm or greater.

(v) "Repair delayed" and the reason for the delay if a leak is not repaired within 15 calendar days after discovery of the leak.

(vi) The signature of the permittee (or designate) whose decision it was that repair could not be effected without a process shutdown.

(vii) The expected date of successful repair of the leak if a leak is not repaired within 15 days.

(viii) Dates of process unit shutdowns that occur while the equipment is unrepaired.

(ix) The date of successful repair of the leak.

(x) A list of identification numbers for equipment that are designated for no detectable emissions under the provisions of Standard III(a) of this permit condition. The designation of equipment subject to the provisions of Standard III(a) of this permit condition shall be signed by the permittee.

(40 CFR 60.635(b))

IV. Closed vent systems and control devices.

In addition to general recordkeeping requirement specified in Recordkeeping Provision I of this permit condition, the following information pertaining to the Closed vent systems and control devices described in Standard VIII of this permit condition shall be recorded and kept in a readily accessible location:

(a) The permittee shall record the information specified in paragraphs (a)(1) through (a)(5) of this section.

(1) Identification of all parts of the closed vent system that are designated as unsafe to inspect, an explanation of why the equipment is unsafe to inspect, and the plan for inspecting the equipment.

(2) Identification of all parts of the closed vent system that are designated as difficult to inspect, an explanation of why the equipment is difficult to inspect, and the plan for inspecting the equipment.

(3) For each inspection during which a leak is detected, a record of the information specified in Recordkeeping Provision I(c) of this permit condition.

(4) For each inspection conducted in accordance with Monitoring Provision I(b) of this permit condition during which no leaks are detected, a record that the inspection was performed, the date of the inspection, and a statement that no leaks were detected.

(5) For each visual inspection conducted in accordance with Monitoring Provision VI(a)(1)(ii) this permit condition during which no leaks are detected, a record that the inspection was performed, the date of the inspection, and a statement that no leaks were detected.

[40 CFR 60.482-10(l)] (origin: NSPS Subpart KKK)

II.B.1.c.3

Reporting:

I. General

(a) The permittee subject to the provisions of this subpart shall submit semiannual reports to the Executive Secretary beginning six months after the initial start up date.

(b) The initial semiannual report, if applicable, to the Executive Secretary shall include the following information:

(1) Process unit identification.

(2) Number of valves subject to the requirements of Standard V of this permit condition, excluding those valves designated for no detectable emissions under the provisions of Standard V(e) of this permit condition.

(3) Number of pumps subject to the requirements of Standard I of this permit condition, excluding those pumps designated for no detectable emissions under the provisions of Standard I(d) of this permit condition and those pumps complying with Standard I(e) of this permit condition.

(4) Number of compressors subject to the requirements of Standard II of this permit condition, excluding those compressors designated for no detectable emissions under the provisions of Standard II(i) of this permit condition and those compressors complying with Standard II(h) of this permit condition.

(c) All semiannual reports to the Executive Secretary shall include the following information, summarized from the information in Recordkeeping requirement:

(1) Process unit identification.

(2) For each month during the semiannual reporting period,

(i) Number of valves for which leaks were detected as described in Standard V(b) or Standard X of this permit condition,

(ii) Number of valves for which leaks were not repaired as required in Standard V(c)(1) of this permit condition,

(iii) Number of pumps for which leaks were detected as described in Standards I(a) and I(c)(6)(i) of this permit condition,

(iv) Number of pumps for which leaks were not repaired as required in Standards I(b)(1) and I(c)(6)(ii) of this permit condition,

(v) Number of compressors for which leaks were detected as described in Standard II(f) of this permit condition,

(vi) Number of compressors for which leaks were not repaired as required in Standard II(g)(1) of this permit condition, and

(vii) The facts that explain each delay of repair and, where appropriate, why a process unit shutdown was technically infeasible.

(3) Dates of process unit shutdowns which occurred within the semiannual reporting period.

(4) Revisions to items reported according to paragraph (b) of this section if changes have occurred since the initial report or subsequent revisions to the initial report.

(d) The permittee electing to comply with the Standards IX and X of this permit condition shall notify the Executive Secretary of the alternative standard selected 90 days before implementing either of the provisions.

(e) The permittee shall report the results of all performance tests in accordance with 40 CFR 60.8 of the General Provisions. The provisions of 40 CFR 60.8(d) do not apply to affected facilities subject to the provisions of this subpart except that The permittee must notify the Executive Secretary of the schedule for the initial performance tests at least 30 days before the initial performance tests. (40 CFR 60.487(a)-(e))

II. Pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service.

In addition to the general reporting requirement specified in Reporting Provision I of this permit condition, the permittee shall comply with the following requirements pertaining to the Pressure relief devices in gas/vapor service described in Standard III of this permit condition:

(a) The permittee shall include the following information in the initial semiannual report if applicable, in addition to the information required in Recordkeeping Provision I(b)(1)-(4) of this permit condition: Number of pressure relief devices subject to the requirements in Standard III(e) of this permit condition, except for those pressure relief devices designated for no detectable emissions under the provisions of Standard III(a) and those pressure relief devices complying with Standard III(c).

(b) The permittee shall include the following information in all semiannual reports in addition to the information required in Recordkeeping Provision I(c)(2)(i) through (vi) of this permit condition:

(1) Number of pressure relief devices for which leaks were detected as required in Standard III(e)(2) of this permit condition and

(2) Number of pressure relief devices for which leaks were not repaired as required in Standard III(e)(3) of this permit condition. (40 CFR 60.636(c)) (origin: NSPS KKK)

II.B.2 **Conditions on Heater #1 (Unit Oil Heater #1)**

II.B.2.a **Condition:**

Visible emissions shall be no greater than 10 percent opacity. [Authority granted under R307-401-6(1) [BACT]; condition originated in BAQE-035-89]

II.B.2.a.1 **Monitoring:**

In lieu of monitoring via visible emission observations, fuel usage shall be monitored to demonstrate that only pipeline-quality natural gas is used as fuel.

II.B.2.a.2

Recordkeeping:

An operating log will be maintained to document any period when plant equipment is operated using any fuel other than natural gas.

II.B.2.a.3

Reporting:

There are no reporting requirements for this provision except those specified in Section I of this permit.

II.B.3

Conditions on Heaters #1 and 2 (Unit Oil Heaters #1 and 2)

II.B.3.a

Condition:

Natural gas consumption for both heaters combined shall not exceed 160.4 MMscf per 12 month period. [Authority granted under R307-401-6(1) [BACT]; condition originated in BAQE-035-89]

II.B.3.a.1

Monitoring:

The consumption of natural gas shall be determined by the use of gas flow meters to each heater.

II.B.3.a.2

Recordkeeping:

The consumption of natural gas shall be determined by maintaining a record of daily readings from gas flow meters. The total shall be calculated for each calendar month and added to the previous 11 months data within 7 days following the end of the month (resulting in a 12-month rolling total).

II.B.3.a.3

Reporting:

There are no reporting requirements for this provision except those specified in Section I of this permit.

II.C. **Emissions Trading.**

(R307-415-6a(10))

Not applicable to this source.

II.D. **Alternative Operating Scenarios.**

(R307-415-6a(9))

Not applicable to this source.

Section III: PERMIT SHIELD

A permit shield was not granted for any specific requirements.

Section IV: ACID RAIN PROVISIONS.

This source is not subject to Title IV. This section is not applicable.

REVIEWER COMMENTS

This operating permit incorporates all applicable requirements contained in the following documents:

BAQE-035-89 dated March 16, 1989

1. Comment on an item originating in BAQE-035-89 regarding permitted source (Source-wide)

Condition #4 of BAQE-035-89 , watering of unpaved roads and operational areas: The condition is being excluded from the Title V permit because all roads are paved and operational areas have a layer of crushed rock over them to minimize fugitive dusts. The plant is at a remote site in an attainment area for all pollutants. [Comment last updated on 4/01/1997]